

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 124

Introduced by Heidemann, 1

WHEREAS, Cody Busekist of Syracuse, Nebraska, has completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest advancement of rank in Scouting, a Boy Scout must fulfill requirements in the areas of leadership, service, and outdoor skills. Although many options are available to demonstrate proficiency in these areas, a number of specific skills are required to advance through the ranks: Tenderfoot; Second Class; First Class; Star; Life; and finally, Eagle. Throughout his Scouting experience, Cody Busekist has learned, been tested on, and been recognized for various Scouting skills; and

WHEREAS, to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout, a Boy Scout is required to earn 21 merit badges, 12 of which are in required areas, and complete a community service project approved by the troop and the scout council. For his Eagle Scout community service project, Cody developed and led a project to build a scoreboard at a local baseball field used daily by the youth of Syracuse; and

WHEREAS, only four percent of the boys who join the Boy Scouts of America achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE

NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates Cody Busekist on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Cody Busekist.